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Applicant : Michael S. Ardito
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CODING WITH OPTIMIZED TRUNCATION IMAGE COMPRESSION

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Examiner : Nghiem, Michael P.

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AMENDMENT

PLS Enter 3/22/04
In response to the Examiner's action dated January 6, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this Amendment.

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